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State Operations Center Situation Status Report

2021 August Wildfires
August 15, 2021 – 0730 hours
Report No. 21

Incident Summary

The State Operations Center is activated to support and monitor ongoing wildfire activity occurring in multiple areas throughout the state.

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Current Wildland Fires as of August 15 2021 - 0800 Hours



Active Fire (9)

LRA - Local Responsibility Area
SRA - State Responsibility Area
FRA - Federal Responsibility Area



QR Code

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**Weather Update (National Weather Service)****Impacts**

- Hot temperatures will continue for the northern valleys Sunday, and for interior Southern California **through Monday**. Moderate to locally high heat risk impacts are expected for interior areas of the state. Temperatures closer to the coast will remain much cooler as winds remain onshore most days.
- **Cooler temperatures are expected statewide for Tuesday.**
- Fire weather conditions remain locally elevated most afternoons and evenings across the foothills and mountains where winds will occasionally gust 25 to 30 mph.
- Isolated to scattered monsoon thunderstorms are possible over the mountains and deserts in Southern California **through Tuesday**.
- Lightning could pose a risk for some new fire starts, especially over the Sierra and Northern California where any storms are less likely to produce locally heavier precipitation.
- Periods of thicker wildfire smoke will persist across northern and central California through the week, bringing reduced visibility and air quality at times. Thicker smoke may also lead to locally cooler temperatures at times.

Watches/Warnings/Advisories

- Updates to Watches, Warnings and Advisories can be found at <https://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>
- Northern California:
 - **Excessive Heat Warning** through Sunday evening for portions of Siskiyou County. Sunday **afternoon** through Monday for much of the San Joaquin Valley, including Bakersfield, Fresno and the West Side Hills.
 - **Heat Advisory** Through Sunday evening for much of the Sacramento Valley, Shasta, and Motherlode, and portions of Mendocino, Lake, and Siskiyou Counties. **Monday** evening for the Surprise Valley.
- Southern California:
 - **Excessive Heat Warning** Through Monday for Antelope and Cuyama Valleys, and San Luis Obispo County Mountains and Interior Valleys, Indian Wells Valley, and Apple and Lucerne Valleys, Death Valley National Park, Owens Valley and the Western Mojave Desert.
 - **Heat Advisory** Through Sunday for much of the San Joaquin Valley, including Bakersfield, Fresno, and the West Side Hills. Through Monday **evening** for Los Angeles County Mountains excluding the Santa Monica Range, Santa Clarita Valley.

Northern California	
Valley (Sun-Sun Night)	Foothills/Mountains (Sun-Sun Night)
Temps: Lows: 65-78°F, with 50s near the coast; Highs: 96-112°F, with 70s and 80s closer to the water.	Temps: Lows: 50-65°F, with 40s over the highest peaks; Highs: 80-100°F for the lower elevations, with 60s and 70s for the higher mountains and along the coast.
Humidity: Night 35-75% with 80-100% closer to the coast; Day: 40-65% near the coast, with 10-25% inland.	Humidity: Night: 30-55% for most areas, except 75-100% along the coast; Day: 10-25% for most areas, with 50-70% for the coast.



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Winds: West to northwest 5-15 mph, with gusts 20-30 mph over the delta.

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Precipitation: Dry

Precipitation: Isolated to scattered showers and thunderstorms, mostly over the Sierra. Average rainfall amounts less than one-tenth of an inch, but locally much heavier amounts are likely near any storms.

Southern California

Coast (Sun-Sun Night)

Inland (Sun-Sun Night)

Temps: Lows: 55-75°F; **Highs:** 70-80°F near the coast, with 85-100°F inland.

Temps: Lows: 70-88°F; except 60s for the higher mountains; **Highs:** 95-112°F, with 80s in the higher mountains.

Humidity: Night: 80-100% near the coast, and 30-60% inland; **Day:** 40-65% near the coast, with 15-35% inland.

Humidity: Night: 25-40% except 50-60% closer to the AZ border; **Day:** 10-35%

Winds: West to northwest 5-15mph, with local gusts to 25 mph in the mountains. **Becoming light and variable overnight.**

Winds: South to southwest 5-15 mph.

Precipitation: Dry

Precipitation: Isolated showers and thunderstorms **Sunday afternoon and evening.** Average rainfall amounts less than one-tenth of an inch, but locally much heavier amounts are likely near any storms. Otherwise dry.

Outlook for Monday through Saturday:

Hot temperatures are expected for interior areas in to Monday before a more widespread cooling trend expected on Tuesday and Wednesday. Locally breezy winds in the mountains and foothills will maintain elevated fire weather conditions. Locally increased winds over the mountains are possible Monday and Tuesday as a frontal system pushes across the state. Isolated to scattered showers and thunderstorms will continue in the Sierra and northern California mountains into early next week, but overall dry conditions are expected through much of the week. Widespread rainfall is not likely though local downpours are possible with any storms.

Activations and Deployments

Emergency Operations Center (EOC)	Incident	Level	Operational Period
State Operations Center	-	1	0700 – 1900
Caltrans	-	2	-
Butte County	Dixie Fire	1 (lowest)	Virtual
Lassen County	Dixie Fire	3	Duty Officer
Plumas County	Dixie Fire	1	0700 – 1900
Trinity County	Monument Fire/ McFarland	1	0800 – 1700
Siskiyou County	Antelope Fire/River Complex	1	0700 – 1900
Placer County	River Fire	2	M-F 0800 – 1700

- CDPH and EMSA, CNG, CAL FIRE, Caltrans, FEMA (Region 9), CDSS and DGS deployed to SOC.



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Proclamations & Declarations

Incident	Jurisdiction	Local Emergency Proc	Local Ratification	Governor's State of Emergency	Local Health Emergency Proc		CDAA	FMAG	Federal Assistance (EM/DR/SBA)
					Proc	Ratification			
Antelope	Siskiyou	8/06	8/10	8/05	-	-	Requested	On hold	Requested
Beckwourth Complex	Lassen	7/10	7/13	7/16	7/23	7/27	Requested	On hold	Requested
Beckwourth Complex	Plumas	7/08	7/13	7/16	7/26	-	Requested	On hold	Requested
Dixie	Butte	8/03	-	7/23	-	-	-	On hold	-
Dixie	Lassen	7/21	7/27	7/23	-	-	Requested	On hold	Requested
Dixie	Plumas	7/19	7/20	7/23	7/26	-	Requested	5400	Requested
Dixie	Tehama	8/10	-	8/10	-	-	Requested	-	Requested
Dixie	Susanville	7/20	-	7/23	-	-	-	-	-
Lava	Siskiyou	06/28	6/29	7/16	6/28	-	Requested	5393	Requested
McFarland	Trinity	7/31	8/03	8/10	8/8	-	Requested	-	Requested
McFarland	Shasta	-	-	8/10	-	-	-	-	-
McFarland	Tehama	8/10	-	8/10	-	-	Requested	-	Requested
Monument	Trinity	7/31	8/03	8/10	8/8	-	Requested	-	Requested
River Complex	Siskiyou	8/06	8/10	Requested	-	-	Requested	-	Requested
River	Nevada	8/05	8/06	8/05	8/6	-	Requested	5405	Requested
River	Placer	8/05	-	8/05	-	-	-	5405	-
Tamarack	Alpine	7/16	7/20	7/23	7/24	7/30	Requested	On hold	Requested

CA-ESF 4: Fire and Rescue

Fire Summary

Incident Name (County)	Acres	% Contained	Total Structures/Residential Structures*		
			Threatened	Damaged	Destroyed
Antelope (Siskiyou)	51,482	25%	250/150	4/4	17/11
Dixie (Butte, Lassen, Plumas, Tehama)	554,816 (+2,227)	31%	14,956/14,838	79 (+5)/50 (+5)	1,155 (+32)/63 (+24)
Glen (Yuba)	184	60%	1,014/1,014	0/0	10/9
Lava (Siskiyou)	26,409	85%	0	2/1	23/14
McFarland (Shasta, Trinity)	42,924	68%	150/100	1/0	1/0
Monument (Trinity)	80,320	5%	4,550/2,550	1/1	32/11
McCash (Siskiyou)	2,287	1%	49/49	0	0
River Complex (Siskiyou)	36,949	10%	0/0	0	0
River (Placer, Nevada)- Final 209	2,619	100%	0/0	21/12	142/102
Total: 9	797,990 (+2,227)	-	20,969/18,701	108 (+5)/68 (+5)	1,380 (+32)/ 778 (+24)

*Information from 209 forms provided by CAL FIRE. **Updated 209 not available at time of publish.



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Fire System Mutual Aid and Pre-Positioning: (Cal OES Fire and Rescue) as of 0630 Hours:

Cal OES, and Local Government (LG) Mutual Aid – Committed Resources

Incident	Total Cal OES Engines	Total LG Single Engines	Total EMAC Engines	Total Cal OES Water Tenders	Total LG Water Tenders	Cal OES Strike Teams Task Forces	LG Strike Teams Task Forces	EMAC Strike Teams Task Forces
Dixie	125 (+5)	192 (+6)	10 (+5)	5	4	25 (+1)	37 (+1)	2 (+1) (Utah)
McFarland	-	15	-	-	-	-	3	-
Antelope	5	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Monument	20	30 (+6)	-	-	1	4	5 (+1)	-
Total	150 (+5)	237 (+12)	10 (+5)	5	5	30 (+1)	45 (+2)	2 (+1)

Cal OES and Local Government (LG) Pre-position Fire Resources

Region	OES Engines	LG Engines	Total OES Water Tenders	Total LG Water Tenders	LG Bulldozers	LG Dispatchers	LG Hand crews	LG IMT Member
Region III	-	0 (-2)	-	-	2	-	-	1
Region IV	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Total	-	0 (-2)	-	-	2	1	-	1

CA-ESF 6: Care & Shelter – Department of Social Services (CDSS)

- CDSS Disaster Services Branch and Red Cross continue to support the affected Operational Areas and will continue to offer field support.
- A new fire in Lake County prompted evacuations on August 13, 2021.
 - Evacuations lifted on August 14, 2021.
 - Twin Pines Casino and Hotel congregate shelter closed on August 14, 2021.

Shelter Summary as of August 15, 2021, at 0600 Hours:

Congregate

Incident	Shelter	County	Lead Organization	Status	Midnight Count	Outside Counts	
Dixie	Springs of Hope Christian Fellowship	Plumas	Red Cross	Open	20 (+3)	7	
	Holy Family Church	Plumas	Red Cross	Open	4	0	
	Lassen Community College	Lassen	County, ARC Supported	Open	68 (+1)	238 (+7)	
Monument/ McFarland	Trinity Valley Elementary School	Humboldt	Red Cross	Open	3 (+2)	1 (-1)	
	Shasta College Gym	Shasta	Red Cross	Open	2	0	
Coyote	Twin Pines Casino and Hotel	Lake	Red Cross	Closed	0 (-2)	0 (-2)	
Total	5 (-1) Open Shelters		4 (-1) Counties	-	-	97 (+4)	246 (+4)
Grand Total					343 (+8)		



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Non-Congregate

Incident	County	Lead Organization	# of Sites	Rooms	Midnight Count
Glen	Yuba	County	1	1	5
Total	1 Counties	-	1 Sites	1 Rooms	5
Grand Total					5

CA-ESF 13: Law Enforcement

California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR)

- Continuing to work with ESF-6 on advanced planning for potential evacuation of California Correctional Center (CCC) and High Desert State Prison (HDSP) in Susanville.
 - HDSP and CCC plan to shelter in place. Both facilities are changing out air filters ahead of normal maintenance schedules. There are no shortages of food, air filters, or masks for staff/inmates. Delivery of additional generator fuel is being coordinated.

Cal OES Law Evacuation and Fatality Summary as of August 15, 2021, at 0730 Hours:

Incident	County	Evacuation Orders – Individuals	Fatalities
Dixie	Plumas	6,492	0
Dixie	Tehama	150	0
Dixie	Lassen	2,100	0
Monument	Trinity	1,480	0
River Complex	Siskiyou	410	0
River Complex	Trinity	50	0
Glen	Yuba	40	0
Total	6 Counties	10,722	0

Law Enforcement Mutual Aid (LEMA) as of August 15, 2021, at 0730 Hours:

Incident(s)	County	LEMA
Dixie	Plumas	48 (-30) LEO; 72 CNG
Dixie	Lassen	12
Total	2 Counties	132 (-30)

California National Guard (CNG)

CNG Assigned Troop Breakdown as of August 14, 2021, at 0830 Hours:

Hand Crews	Military Police	Out of State	Command Control Admin Support	Total Troop Count
569	72	82	228	951

- Assigned Aircraft:
 - Rotary Aircraft: One (1) medevac and five (5) firefighting helicopters.
 - Fixed Wing: Five (5) C130 Modular Airborne Fire Fighting System (MAFFS).
 - One (1) MQ-9 unmanned aircraft for aerial mapping and damage assessment.

Emergency Management Assistance Compact (EMAC)

- California has requested 150 engines to support the Statewide Fires.
- California requested one UH-60 Army Aviation Maintenance Support Team.
 - West Virginia National Guard (WVNG) are sending six (6) aviation maintenance personnel – five (5) of the personnel will travel to California on August 16, 2021, and the last person will travel to California on August 18, 2021.



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- Utah has provided an Engine Task Force (5 engines) – resources arrived on August 9, 2021.
- Coordinating to have a second Strike Team (Type 6) from Utah to travel to California to support the Dixie Fire.
- Two (2) UH-60 helicopters from Wisconsin are traveling to California and will arrive on August 16, 2021.
 - They plan to bring 16 personnel to support their aircraft; this includes two full aircrews, an operations specialist, and maintenance team to keep those aircraft operational in the field.
- One (1) UH-60 and two-person maintenance team from Louisiana are travelling to California and will arrive on August 15, 2021.
 - Louisiana plans to bring one (1) full aircrew of four (4).

Emergency Management Mutual Aid (EMMA)

EMMA #	Requesting Jurisdiction	Incident	Requested Resource	Status
98762	Plumas County	Dixie	One Public Information Officer	Filled 8/5/21

SOC Operations Mission Tasking

	Action Required	Coordinating	En Route	On-Scene	Closed	Total*
Fires – Missions	1	10	2	35	10	74

*Total includes missions that have been canceled, denied, or suspended.

CA-ESF 1: Transportation

California Department of Transportation (Caltrans)

Emergency Road Closures Due to Fires as of **August 15, 2021**, at 1400 Hours

County	Route	Incident	Location	Closure Direction
Tehama, Plumas, and Lassen	36	Dixie	From the west Jct of SR 172 (Tehama Co) to the Jct of SR 44 (Lassen Co)	Both
Tehama	32	Dixie	From 6.3 mi east of the Butte/Tehama Co Line to the Jct of SR 36 (Tehama Co)	Both
Plumas	89	Dixie	From 1 mi north of Crescent Mills to the East Jct of SR 36	Both
Plumas and Lassen	147	Dixie	From the Jct of SR 89 to 1.1 mi north of the Jct of SR 89 /at County Road A-21	Both
Tehama and Shasta	89	Dixie	From the West Jct of SR 36 (Tehama Co) to the Jct of SR 44 (Shasta Co)	Both
Butte	32	Dixie	From Humboldt Rd /in Lomo/to the Butte/Tehama Co Line	East Bound
Tehama	172	Dixie	From the west Jct of SR36 in Mineral to the east Jct of SR 36	Both
Trinity	299	Monument	From 1.7 mi east of Hawkins Bar at Ammon Rd to Sky Ranch Rd in Junction City	Both
Lake	49	Coyote	From 9.2 mi south of the Jct of SR 53 to 5.8 mi south of the Jct of SR 53/Hofacker Rd	Open
Total: 8				

**CA-ESF 2: Communications (Cal OES TACCOM)**

- McFarland Fire requests one (1) kit of Sonim First Net Phones; to be delivered on August 15, 2021.
- As of August 14, 2021 CUEA is requesting a Verizon crew access to Dixie Fire (Lake Almanor) for an HVAC alarm, FDO, and Cal OES Fire AC on scene assisting with coordination with Fire Liaison Unit.
- On August 12, 2021, the Susanville area lost communication services due to the Dixie Fire and the loss of fiber along Hwy 44. Affected institutions follow:
 - Wireless Emergency Alerts (WEA)
 - Services are [restored](#).
 - Susanville CHP
 - [Restored to full service as of August 13, 2021.](#)
 - Lassen Sheriff's Office
 - [Restored to full service as of August 14, 2021.](#)
 - Susanville Prison Communications
 - As of August 14, 2021, Susanville CDCR advised that communications services are functioning again. CUEA advised that service has been restored by the carriers. Cal OES TDO and ESF-2 continue to monitor the situation due to continued fire activity in the area.
 - Lassen County Medical Health Operation Area Coordinator (MHOAC)
 - Requested an ESF-2 COW and wraparound services.
 - Requested three (3) VHF repeaters from Cal OES TACCOM.
 - All on standby until assessment of communications infrastructure is complete. Both ESF-2 and TACCOM have been notified and are currently coordinating.
 - Per EMSA Communications, hospital operations have returned to normal, CUEA advises that the area should be restored to prior fiber cut operations, however, ESF-2 and Cal OES TACCOM will continue to evaluate the need for COW services or other contingencies.

Incident Based Team (IBT) Radio Technician Deployments:

- Total Assigned/Deployed: 17
- Total Unassigned/Available: 11

CA-ESF 7: Resources**Department of General Services (DGS)**

- DGS to procure three (3) generators for water generation, in separate locations, in response to the Dixie Fire in Susanville. – On site August 14, 2021. Hook up is pending at well four as power is not shut off. Scheduled for August 16, 2021.
- DGS to procure 36 half-mask respirators for Plumas County – On site August 13, 2021.
- DGS to procure fourteen 30 foot roll off dumpsters for Plumas County. Seven (7) will be filled and hauled away, the remaining will be left on site. – [On site August 14, 2021, awaiting confirmation.](#)
- DGS to procure 26 half-mask respirators and filters for Plumas County – [En route, scheduled for August 16, 2021.](#)



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Disaster Logistics

- NSTR

CA-ESF 8: Public Health and Medical

California Department of Public Health (CDPH)

CDPH Licensed Facilities Impacted by Fires (from Center for Healthcare Quality dashboard):

	General Acute Care Hospital	Skilled Nursing Facility	Federally Qualified Health Center
Operational	3	2	N/A
Non-operational	1	1	N/A
Status unknown	1	1	1
Total facilities being monitored	5	4	1

- Dixie Fire (Lassen County):
 - Seneca District Hospital's General Acute Care Hospital Non-Operational is short-term fully evacuated. All the plans for repopulating the town of Chester have been canceled. There have been new mandatory evacuation orders issued, including Westwood. No changes for health care facilities.

EMSA

- Communication disruptions in the Susanville area are causing intermittent issues with cell service at the Fire Base Camp. EMSA is working with the Med L and IMT to resolve the problem.
- EMSA continues to support the Cal OES Dixie Fire Base Camp in Susanville to provide medical support and COVID-19 testing. An EMSA Agency Representative and a CAL-MAT are on site.
- EMSA has been in contact with the Regional Disaster Medical Health Specialist (RDMHS) regarding communication issues in Susanville due to the Dixie Fire. The Medical Health Operational Area Coordination (MHOAC) has been in contact with the hospital and skilled nursing facility. Backup communications are available, including satellite phones.

CA-ESF 10: Hazardous Materials

Air Quality Index Map (airnow.gov) – California Environmental Protection Agency (Cal EPA) as of August 15, 2021, at 0430 Hours:

- California Air Resources Board (CARB) continues to support affected air districts and air quality agencies. A total of 31 portable air monitors are currently deployed throughout the state to support local air quality agencies and is visiting their equipment storage caches in Redding, Mariposa, Ukiah, Santa Barbara, and Fresno to manage inventories and resupply monitors and supplies.
- Based on yesterday's PM2.5 Air Quality Index (AQI) communities in the following counties experienced unhealthy air: Trinity, Sierra, Lassen, and Siskiyou. Today's forecast predicts worsening of air quality in Trinity, Sierra, Siskiyou, and Del Norte counties, which can expect to experience unhealthy air quality.
- The Sacramento Valley, Bay Area, Southern California, and foothill and mountain communities in the Sierra Nevada mountains are expected to receive similar air quality as yesterday, with AQI predicted to be again be moderate to unhealthy for sensitive groups. [A small portion of San Bernardino County is forecasted to receive unhealthy air due to elevated ozone levels.](#)



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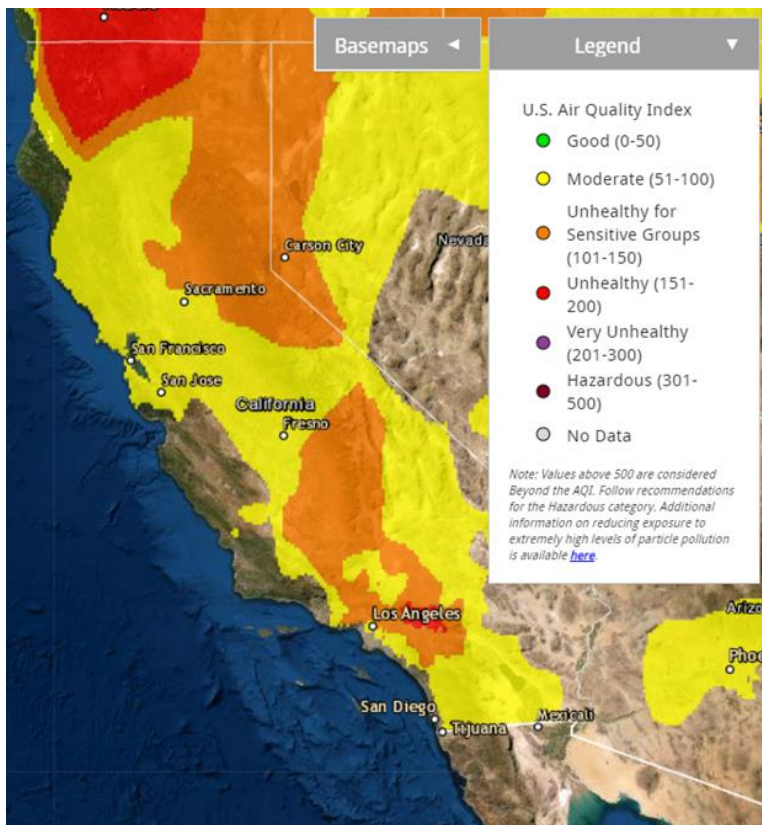
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State Water Resources Control Board Summary

- **Wastewater Facilities:** Indian Valley Community Service District – Greenville. The Greenville system is made up of 570 Equivalent Dwelling units. The system is currently within an evacuated zone of the Dixie Fire and pending assessment when evacuation is lifted and cleared for health and safety.
- **Plumas County Updates:** No unmet needs reported at this time. Boil Water Advisory will remain in place until the water can be tested to verify the water meets drinking water standards.

Water Use Restrictions

County	Event Name	Number of Water Restrictions	Number of Connections Impacted	Population Impacted
Plumas	Dixie	2	654	1,289
Total		2	654	1,289



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CA-ESF 11: Food and Agriculture California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA)

Fairground (Shelter) Name/Address	County	DAA*/ County	Status	Shelter Type	Summary	Total Animals
Plumas-Sierra 204 Fairgrounds Quincy, CA 95971	Plumas	PLU	Open	Fire Base Camp and Animal Shelter	Large animals, Approximately 2,200 Fire personnel (Dixie Fire)	98
Lassen County Fairgrounds 195 Russell Ave Susanville, CA 96130	Lassen	LAS	Open	Fire Base Camp and Animal Shelter	Large and small animals (Dixie Fire)	50
Yuba Sutter Fairgrounds and Event Center 442 Franklin Ave Yuba City, CA 95591	Sutter	13 th DAA	Closed	Evacuation Center and Animal Shelter	Small Animals 5 RV Spaces utilized (Glen Fire)	0 (-4)
Silver Dollar Fair 2357 Fair Street Chico, CA 95928	Butte	3 rd DAA	Open	ICP/Fire Base Camp	2,200 Fire personnel (Dixie Fire)	N/A
Gold Country Fairgrounds & Event Center 1273 High Street Auburn, CA 95603	Placer	20 th DAA	Open	Fire Base Camp	(River Fire)	N/A
* District Agricultural Association						

CA-ESF 12: Utilities

California Utilities Emergency Association (CUEA)

- CUEA was notified on August 12, 2021 that fiber from Susanville, West along Hwy 44 had burned. Frontier, Verizon, and AT&T were all impacted.
 - Frontier's teams have temporarily restored service to Susanville. A temporary cable has been placed and Frontier will work on another solution should the current temporary restoral be burned.
- Lassen Fairgrounds COLT is on air now.
- PG&E Outages:
 - Plumas County – 5,600

CA-ESF 14: Recovery

Recovery

- Recovery is coordinating a Mission Task Request for a Verizon COW for Markleeville, Alpine County, to allow for alerts and warnings to local residents regarding potential debris flows in the burn scar area. Estimated time of arrival is pending. Verizon / ESF-2 to coordinate with Alpine County Sheriff for location.
- Recovery Analytics is supporting Interagency Recovery Coordination and Recovery Support Functions with GIS, Automation, Information Management, and Data Analysis Projects in support of 2021 Wildfires.
- Cal OES is establishing an Environmental Protection Plan for 2021 Wildfires, built for local compliance support, incorporating lessons learned from 2020.



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Individual Assistance (IA)

Event	Primary County	LAC Status	LAC Address	Hours	LAC Date Opened	LAC Date Closed	# Days LAC Open
River	Placer Nevada	Open	Colfax Elementary School 24825 Ben Taylor Rd, Colfax, CA 95713	1000-1900 (Friday) 1000-1800 (Saturday)	08/13/21	8/14/21	2
Dixie	Plumas	Pending	Old Plumas County Probation Office 1446 E. Main St., Quincy, CA 95971	1100-1700 (Friday) (Tentative)	8/19/21 (Tentative)	8/21/21 (Tentative)	-

- IA PDAs in Placer County for the River Fire were conducted on August 13, 2021. Final results: 49 homes destroyed (59 homes assessed). PDAs will continue through August 15, 2021.
- IA PDAs in Siskiyou for the Antelope Fire are scheduled to take place on August 16, 2021.
- Placer and Nevada County joint LAC opened August 13, 2021. A total of 58 households were served by local, state, and private non-profit organizations.

Recovery Operations

- Two (2) PA staff are assisting IA with PDAs for Nevada and Siskiyou County this weekend.
- Ongoing discussions with Plumas County ESC to coordinate IDE/PDAs as soon as possible with safety considerations, currently on hold due to fire activity.
- Meetings will continue with FEMA to coordinate joint PDA's for the Dixie Fire (Plumas and Lassen Counties).
- Cal OES received a letter from Plumas County requesting Phase I and Phase II debris removal and detailing a phased approach to address damage from the Dixie Fire on August 13, 2021.
- Applicant's Briefing in Alpine County regarding the Tamarack Fire is taking place on Friday, August 20, 2021, from 1000 hours to 1200 hours at the Behavioral Health Building, 40 Diamond Valley Road, Markleeville, CA 96120.
- Cal OES Voluntary Agency Liaison is working with voluntary agencies to identify resources and unmet needs in the impacted counties, including supporting the establishment of Long-Term Recovery Group to serve Dixie Fire survivors.

The following IDEs provided by the Counties will be validated by Recovery Operations*:

County	Incident	Date last updated	\$ Public Property Damage	Structures Damaged (Residential/Commercial/Other)				Comments
				Destroyed	Major	Minor	Affected	
Placer	River	8/8/21	\$4.4 M	32/0/0	7/0/0	-	-	-
Plumas	Dixie	8/5/21	\$21.8 M	472/52/0	-	22/0/0	-	-
Lassen	Dixie	8/8/21	\$175 k	1/0/0	-	-	-	-
Nevada	River	8/7/21	\$3.6 M	33/0/11	-	-	-	-
Tehama	Dixie	8/11/21	\$2.4 M	11/0/19	1/0/1	-	2/0/0	-
Trinity	Monument	8/11/21	\$1.56 M	12/1/20	-	1/0/0	1/0/0	-

*Additional updates are expected as acreage and containment of fires progress

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Operations

- Household Hazardous Waste Removal: Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) is projected to be complete by Wednesday, September 1, 2021.
 - Metrics
 - Parcels Assessed: 90



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- DTSC Crews Active Today: 2
- **Beckwourth Complex:** DTSC crews are actively clearing parcels in Lassen County and have completed 82 of 86 identified parcels. DTSC crews are expected to complete Lassen County and remobilize to the Plumas County side next week. There are a total of 106 parcels requiring assessment.
- **Lava Fire:** Cal OES Recovery Operations and DTSC have established an operational plan for HHW assessment and removal. Siskiyou County was briefed on the plan on August 13, 2021 and is working to take action. DTSC and Siskiyou County intend to meet in person on Thursday, August 19, 2021 to discuss the start of operations. A community workshop is also tentatively scheduled for Wednesday, August 25, 2021 to discuss cleanup operations.
- **Dixie Fire:** Cal OES Recovery Operations and DTSC will meet with Plumas County on Monday, August 16, 2021, to discuss HHW operations. DTSC plans to assign four (4) crews to the Dixie Fire as conditions permit.
- **River Fire:** Cal OES Recovery Operations and DTSC are providing technical assistance to Placer and Nevada counties and are standing by for resource requests.
- **Tamarack Fire:** DTSC crew completed all operations on eight (8) parcels. One (1) parcel was found to be inaccessible. DTSC is coordinating with Alpine County to return to the final site later.

Watershed/Debris Flow Task Force (Reported only on Fridays)

- The Debris Task Force is fully activated and met with all cooperating agencies on August 13, 2021.

Watershed Emergency Response Team (WERT)

- No WERT teams are currently deployed.
- Burned Area Emergency Response (BAER) Team
 - BAER teams have completed soil burn severity and post-fire debris flow hazard mapping for the Tamarack and Beckwourth Complex fires.
 - The U.S. Forest Service anticipates the deployment of a BAER team to Dixie Fire on August 16, 2021.
- Preliminary Watershed/Debris Flow Impacts
 - Tamarack Fire
 - In coordination with the Alpine Sheriff's Office and the County PIO, distributed a flyer to the residents of Markleeville describing potential risk to debris.
 - Coordinated with Caltrans and NWS to deploy two portable variable message boards which display emergency messaging in the event of heavy precipitation which may trigger a debris flow event.
 - River Fire
 - In coordination with Nevada County and the Nevada Irrigation District, conducted site visits along the Bear River watershed.
 - Exploring ash and debris watercourse interface sediment protections.
 - Facilitating cross county (Nevada/Placer) coordination to address Bear River Watershed impacts.



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Office of Private Sector / Non-Governmental Organization (NGO) Coordination

- The Office of Private Sector / NGO Coordination has activated the Business Operations Center (BOC) in response to the ongoing wildfires. Current efforts include providing situational awareness to the BOC partner network and monitoring unmet needs in order to coordinate in-kind and financial donations management.
 - The BOC received a request from a CA Volunteer Organizations Active in Disasters representative on behalf of Plumas County for a truckload of water to distribute to wildfire survivors being repopulated. Cal OES Regional staff were able to assist in securing storage space at the Quincy Cal Trans facility. A donation of a full truckload of water from Greene Concepts, Inc. is currently being coordinated and will be delivered to the Cal Trans site. Water is expected to ship on August 16, 2021. ETA is pending.

Office of Tribal Coordination (OTC)

- Greenville Rancheria has reported lost structures, including a health and dental clinic for their community. They have evacuated 28 tribal members and 10 employees to the Greenville Red Bluff Health and Dental Clinic location. They will need long term housing assistance.
- Susanville Indian Rancheria (SIR) has stood up their own EOC/LAC to provide assistance to SIR members who are affected by the Beckwourth and Dixie Fires from the Susanville, Chester, and Greenville areas.
- Enterprise Indian Rancheria has been coordinating individual tribal efforts. They have been providing housing to nearly 40 individuals at their own hotel and housing an additional 15 individuals in other hotels in the immediate area. They have requested assistance as these members have lost everything and are from around the Greenville and Chester areas.
- Office of Tribal Coordination will meet with Alpine County and the Washoe Tribe regarding the Tamarack Fire on Thursday, August 19, 2021.

OTC is working with the following tribes affected by wildfires:

Incident(s)	County	Federally Recognized Tribe	Community	Location
Beckwourth/ Dixie	Lassen	Susanville Indian Rancheria	Maidu Washoe Pauite	Susanville
Dixie	Plumas	Greenville Indian Rancheria	Greenville Rancheria of Maidu Indians	Greenville
Dixie	Butte	Berry Creek Rancheria of Maidu Indians	Berry Creek Rancheria	Oroville
Dixie	Butte	Enterprise Rancheria of Maidu Indians	California Valley Miwok	Oroville
Dixie	Butte	Mechoopda Indian Tribe, Cedarville Rancheria	Cedarville Rancheria	Chico
Dixie	Butte	Mooretown Rancheria of Maidu Indians	Chicken Ranch Rancheria	Oroville
River	Colusa	Kletsel Dehe Band of Wintun Indians	Cortina Indian Rancheria	Williams



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River	Colusa	Cachil Dehe Band of Wintun Indians	Colusa Rancheria	Colusa
River	Placer	United Auburn Indian Community	Auburn Rancheria	Auburn
Monument/ McFarland	Humboldt	Hoopa Valley Indian Tribe	Hoopa Valley Tribe	Hoopa
Tamarack	Alpine	Washoe Tribe	Washoe Indian Community	Alpine County

Region Report

Inland Region

- A community meeting regarding the River Complex was held on August 14, 2021 at 1700 hours.
 - Location: Etna City Park, 701 Bryan St., Etna, CA 96027

School Closures

- Plumas County/Dixie Fire:
 - Plumas Unified School District has been delayed to September 7, 2021 due to the Dixie Fire.